IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE, ANDHRA PRADESH
AT HYDERABAD

(Special Original Jurisdiction)

TUESDAY, THE TWENTIETH DAY OF DECEMBER
TWO THOUSAND AND FIVE

PRESENT

THE HON'BLE MR JUSTICE V.ESWARAIAH

WRIT PETITION No. 27004 of 2005

Between:

The Andhra Pradesh Power General Corporation Limited,

Srisailm Right Bank Hydro Electric Scheme,
Srisailm, Kurnool District, Rep by its Law Officer,
Sri S. Ashok Kumar

..... PETITIONER

AND

The Asst. P.F. Commissioner, 1/30, R.S. Road,

Cuddapah - 516 004 and another

.....RESPONDENTS

ORDER:

Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned standing counsel appearing for the respondents.

The petitioner questions the impugned order dated 15.12.2005 made under Section 14-B and 7-Q of the Employees Provident Funds and Miscellaneous Provisions Act, 1952 (for short 'the Act'), issued by the 1st respondent.

Admittedly, against the impugned order, appeal lies to the appellate Tribunal under Section 7-I of the Act.

Having regard to the facts and circumstances of the case, the petitioner is permitted to file an appeal before the appropriate Tribunal against the impugned order, within a period of three weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, and if any such appeal is filed, there shall be stay of recovery of the demanded amount in question, subject to the condition that the petitioner deposits half of the demanded amount, within a period of four weeks from today.

With the above observations, the Writ Petition is disposed of. No order as to costs.

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V.ESWARAIAH,J

Dated: 20.12.2005

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